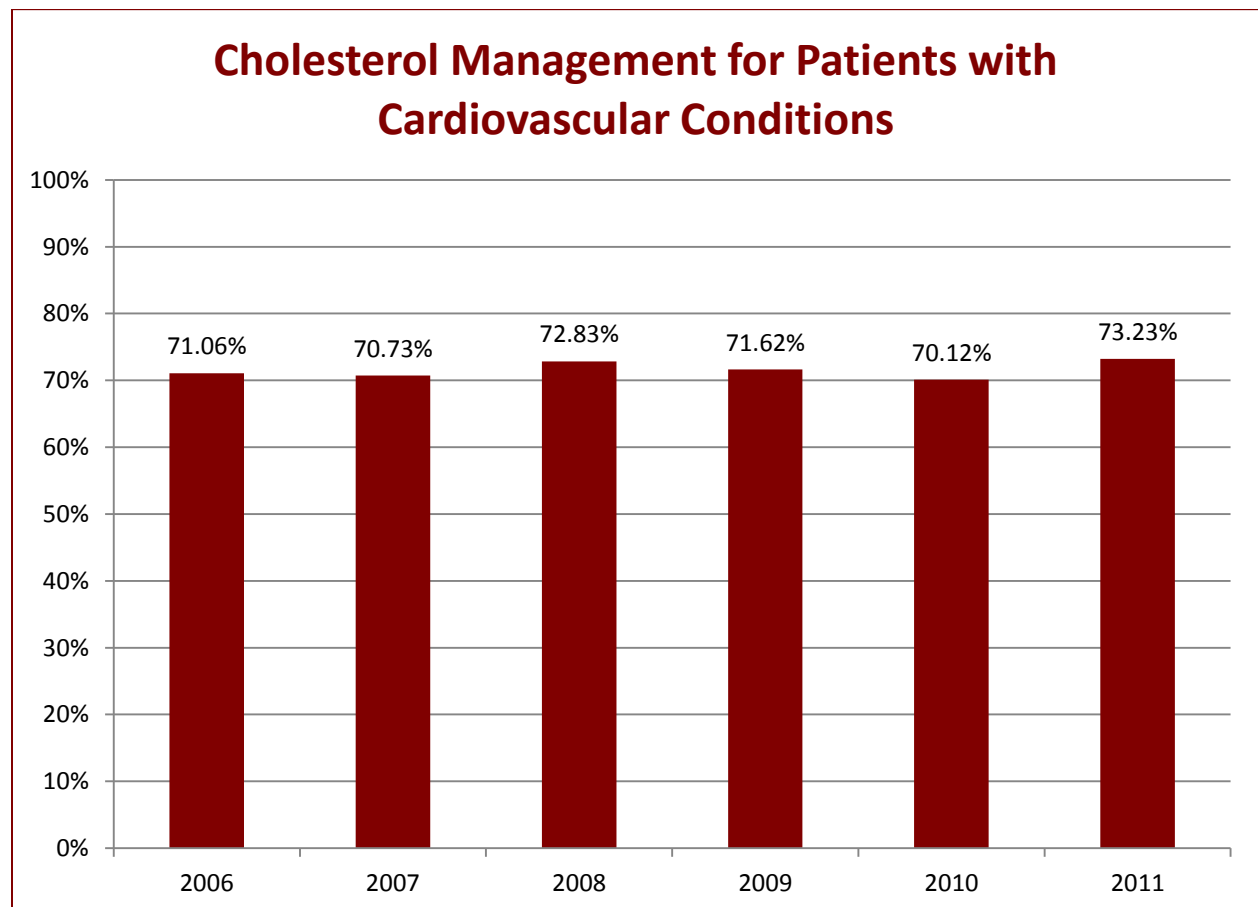


# Cholesterol Management for Patients with Cardiovascular Conditions (CMC)

The measure includes the number of people with cardiovascular conditions, 18-75 years of age as of December 31 of the measurement year, who were continuously enrolled in Louisiana Medicaid during the measurement year and the year prior to the measurement year. The rate (percentage) shows how many of these people had an LDL-C screening during measurement year.

Cardiovascular conditions include:

1. Recipients discharged alive for acute myocardial infarction (AMI), coronary artery bypass graft (CABG), or percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty (PCI), from January 1 to November 1 of the year prior to the measurement year.
2. Recipients with a diagnosis of ischemic vascular disease (IVD) during both the measurement year and the year prior to the measurement year.



Notes:

- Rates shown are for Medicaid-only recipients.
- Rates shown for 2006 through 2011 exclude Medicare dual eligibles and third-party liability.
- Claims for 2006 through 2011 have a 6-month claim lag.